



# Planning (Wales) Act 2015

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## PART 6

### DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ETC

#### *Stopping up or diversion of public paths*

**38 Stopping up or diversion of public paths where application for planning permission made**

- (1) TCPA 1990 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 257 (footpaths, bridleways and restricted byways affected by other development: orders by other authorities), in subsection (1A), omit “in England”.
- (3) In section 259 (confirmation of orders)—
  - (a) in each of subsections (1), (1A) and (2), for “Secretary of State” substitute “appropriate national authority”;
  - (b) after subsection (4) insert—
    - “(5) The appropriate national authority, for the purposes of this section, is—
      - (a) in relation to England, the Secretary of State;
      - (b) in relation to Wales, the Welsh Ministers.”